

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRWP No. 6235 of 2020 (O&M)**

**Date of decision : August 21, 2020**

Kavita Rani and another

....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

**Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Fateh Deep Singh**

Present : Mr. Gautam Kaile, Advocate, for the petitioners

**Fateh Deep Singh, J. (Oral)**

The matter has been taken up through Video-conferencing on account of outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

Notice of motion to official respondents.

Service of private respondents is dispensed with.

Mr. Avtar Singh Sandhu, Addl. AG Punjab puts in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

Let copy of the paper book be supplied to him.

The petition stands disposed off with the direction to respondent no. 2 to consider and decide the representation of the petitioners (Annexure P-5) within the framework of law. Meanwhile, the official respondents shall ensure due protection of life and personal liberty of the petitioners and shall take prompt and immediate action in accordance with law in case any instance of

threat is brought to their notice by the petitioners. However, this order will not comment upon the legality and validity of the marriage claimed to be solemnized between the petitioners.

August 21, 2020

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( Fateh Deep Singh )  
Judge

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| <i>Whether Reportable ?</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |